

PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of

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For: FUEL CELL SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DRIVING SAME

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE AND FILING RECEIPT STATUS REQUEST

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Sir:

The above-captioned patent application entered the National Phase on July 20, 2006. The 35 U.S.C. 371 requirements were completed on July 20, 2006.

The original Notification of Acceptance and Filing Receipt have not yet been received. It is respectfully requested that the original Notification of Acceptance and Filing Receipt be immediately forwarded to the attorneys of record at the address set forth below.

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